# What Etiquette Will Demand When Belgian Rulers Visit Us

Queen Elizabeth and Her Gallant Consort, King Albert, Will Be Under Care of State Department During Their Entire Stay

Who is due to arrive here with her gallant consort, King Albert at the end of this month, will be the second lady of sovereign rank be-longing to the reigning dynasties of deaf people, which never left the old the Old World to come to the United States in the latter's entire history. In order to find any precedent for her well to these shores. stending visit it is necessary to go One of the principal unit of the m, daughter of King Francis I. of guests from designing and nefarious in the celebration of the Centennial- morning, to be able to pay much at-

zil, who lost their South American ing her from undestrable acquaintthrone some thirteen years afterward, ances, and thus it was that a Hunspent nearly three months in the garian of particularly good presence United States and their stay was sig- quisite French, was able to force himnalized by numerous odd and amus- self upon the Empress, who, glad to ing incidents. Many of them were find some one with whom she could do to the very widespread ignorance converse, who could modulate his dge to the very widespread ignorance of the etiquette required by interna-her to hear without being shouted at. tional usage and comity for the treat-ment of guests of sovereign rank—an encouraged him to remain at her side. which extended to official largely arising from the absence of any precedent by which to Knighthood. It was only after the go. Indeed even at Washington there departure of the imperial visitors that a no guidance worthy of the name. For in those days the foreign envoys international awindlers, with a long stationed there were mostly men record of European prisons. whose entire diplomatic career had been spent in the Latin republics of the western hemisphere or else who had been promoted from the Consular since the Centennial, and whereas so-Corps and were quite as much at sea cial intercourse between the Old World about the niceties of etiquette in deal- and the new was in those days of a bers and officials of the Administra-

Dom Pedro Was Democratic.

extraordinary unconventionality of the Emperor, who used to boast that he some knowledge of court life, and of was the most democratic citizen of Brazil, but who, with all that, was very quick to resent any undue fa-sovereigns of the Old World. very quick to resent any undue familiarity or what he chose to regard as undue presumption. The fact that cial world and in the society of the big cities, such as New York, Philalphia and even Boston, who spoke French were few and far between.

him to take things as they came, to a astenished at nothing, and to rethe American people, that is to say, Republic. her and his hosts, were overflowing

Tack forty-three years, namely, to Emperor and Empress of Brazil was that of protecting the illustrious Naples and the Two Sicilies, accom-panied her husband, Dom Pedro II., wont to start out on his daily excurto North America in order to take part sions at the appalling hour of 4 in the the hundredth birthday-of this na- tention to what was going on around the Empress.

Others who ought to have known The Emperor and Empress of Bra- better were equally remiss in shieldcharming manners and who spoke ex-Indeed she actually induced her hus band the Emperor to bestow upon him one of the minor orders of Brazilian the identity of the Hungarian was revealed as one of the most notorious of

Americans Gain Court Etiquette

ing with imperial visitors as the mem- very restricted character, now it has developed to such an extent that a tion of Gen. Grent, who was then very large portion of the American people are quite as much at home in London, Paris and Rome as they are in Matters were complicated by the American women have been presented

Still, in view of the fact that there is American, who has had no oppor-tunity of acquainting herself with the as etiquette which can only be mastered Fortunately the old Empress, who it must be considered fortunate that at Washington, and perhaps, too, to the foreign Diplet the Belgian Embassy, in all knotty fatellect and the extraordinary range matic Corps at Washington, the Ameroic learning for which her husband ican wife of the Ambassador of France, was justly celebrated, had been warned spent many years with her husband at spent many years with her husband at the courts of Copenhagen and of St. James's before coming to the United member throughout her sojourn that States as representative of the French

the Empress was almost stone deef and spoke nothing but French or Italian and spoke no States is a quite recently married this was admitted to an exceptional degree of intimacy. Mme. Jusserand, tunity of acquainting herself with the as doyenne of the Diplomatic Corps. will prove an invaluable and tactful by years of actual experience thereof, adviser to the American official world

Whereas in 1876, the State Depart-

Odd Gleanings from the World at Large

QUEEN

ELIZABETH OF

UNUSUAL PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDY

KING ALBERT OF

warm liking for Mme. Jusserand, who their entire stay as guests of the Gov- crimination in protecting, the King, and Government. It is all very well Queen, or to her daughter, without no precedent in the State Department had come to Copenhagen from Lon-that would serve any useful purpose don, warmly recommended to her good rangements for the entertainment of ple who for one reason or another are ganized in the various cities likely to of a man or a woman being presented

Coming of Royal Guests Recalls Re. markable Instances Which Arose While Empress Theresa of Brazil Was Here in 1876

in the scale. But these committees or from the Belgian Ambassador and are likely to be subjected to a most Ambassadress. In the case of the drastic revision and pruning by the presentation of women officials of the State Department.

can nation, and above all, to the Bel- courtesies conceded to them every gian people, that their heroine Queen not be subjected to the indignity of being called upon to encounter people, especially women, from the breeding all the world over. The contact of whom she would be safe in curtaey should be made on presentaher own dominions, or indeed anywhere in Europe. The King and leave. Queen and their children are coming here as most welcome and illustrious to the little Princess are supposed to strangers. They are necessarily ig-bow—not merely to duck the head but norant of the personal reputation and to bow from the waist. Women and antecedents of those who are flock-ing from all sides to welcome them. when talking to any of the royal They will rely entirely upon the di- guests unless invited by them to do rection and care of the State Depart- so. If this is mentioned it is because ment. The latter will be first and the writer recalls the consternation last accountable to this nation for the among the members of the Brazilian success of their visit and for its entire suite when at a reception given freedom from any untoward incident. 1876 in honor of Emperor Dom Pedro

For those who have not lived

may be timely to mention that Queen Elizabeth should be addressed as either "Madame" or as " Ma'am." She speaks excellent English, and at the constant intercourse with English and in her frequent visits to the United Kingdom, is always addressed United Kingdom, is always addressed as "Ma'am," which is also used in conversing with Queen Mary or Queen Alexandra. The words "Majesty" or "Your Majesty" are very rarely used in conversation and are reserved mainly for formal cerereserved mainly for formal ceremonies, such as the presentation of the King and the Queen the place of addresses by municipal bodies. And the host and hostess, in pursuance of since the Queen will, it is said, be accompanied by her only daughter, rules of hospitality that while they are Princess Marie Jose, barely 13 years there everything in the house belongs of age, it may be added that she is to them and that all present are then entitled to be addressed in the same guests. Of course the list of men and fashion—that is to say, as "Madame" or "Ma'am." All royal maidens are have to be previously submitted for "Madame" or "Ma'am" from the very revision to the State Department to moment that they leave the cradle. As for the King, it is scarcely necessary to mention that he is addressed

No one can be presented to the

tics rather than fitness have weighed, tion either from the State Department expected to currey low, that is to say, The State Department owes it to if they wish to accord to the Queen President Wilson, to the entire Ameri- and also to her little daughter the where abroad, even in republican France, and which are looked for or tion and greeting and also in taking

and his consort a man and two womer suddenly plumped down uninvited a sofa in the corner of which the old abroad or who have not been brought Empress had sought refuge for a few into contact with foreign rulers it minutes. It was a work of some little difficulty, coupled with explanationsand protests which fortunately the Empress did not hear, to shunt the intruders elsewhere.

#### Received and Bowed Out.

In the event of the King and Queen honoring any private citizen with

It is, moreover, customary the courteous fiction dictated by th women invited to meet them would the Belgian Ambassador and to the household of the King and Queen s as to give to the royal visitors the op portunity of adding or eliminating

These are only a few of the pote and to commend to the attention of al

## Everybody Goes to Movies "On the Cape" In London but throughout England. So they named the driveway through London parks "Route du Roi" (route

ALK along the intimately nar-some subtle play on words thrown on any night during the week at the at about 7:30 in the evening did democratizer among foreign born and you will find every one who is Americans. Let the cynical pessimist. case may be, mingle merrily with the New England families, as well as with friendly Portuguese fishermen in their 'calling clothes," their newly cleaned celluloid collars forming a neat white border contrasting strongly with their

At last the Casino opens, and in streams the crowd in excited competition for the best seats "down about half way." First come, first seated, is the rule. No city frills such as numbered seats are tolerated. And such a friendly audience. No one has to ask any neighbor to remove her hat, for no one wears one. The buzz of conversation and the crackle of opening peanuts stir the air, while the distinct odor of citronella pervades the unknown at the movies, because the Casino is built out on one of the Through the exits one either side of the house the glassy surface of the At about 7:50 the audience bursts

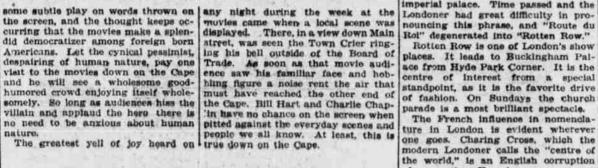
into applause as a young girl walks down the centre aisle, places a bundle of music on top of the plane and salmly seats herself. "Good evening. Anna," "Hello, Anna," several of her friends address her, and for a moment or two she is kept busy nodding to acquaintances in the nudience. At last she begins playing a medley of the latest ragtime melodies, much to the delight of those who know the tunes well enough to whistle them. Promptly at 8 the lights are lowered and the

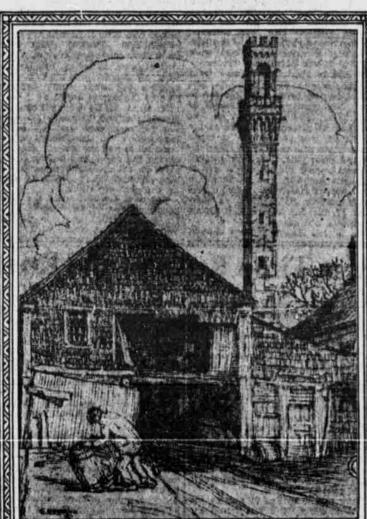
As soon as the pictures are thrown on the screen Anna's playing becomes automatic and not entirely free from blemishes, for, you see, the program is changed every night, and Anna has to see the pictures too; and how can one look at pictures properly and keep one cares, down on the Cape, for it is all just like one big family party and every one has a jolly good time. Natmally enough, sea pictures receive vociferous applause, while all forms of comedy are generously appreciated.

When the hero foils the villain the joy of the audience is registered imdiately. There is none of the city's aloofness in a Cape audience quiet aloofness in a Cape audience. And how quick the "natives" are to get a point. One can see Portuguess an roaring with laughter at

row confines of Main street the screen, and the thought keeps ocany one headed for the movies. The despairing of human nature, pay one summer guests in their white gos- visit to the movies down on the Cape summer guests in their write gos-samery dresses or white ducks, as the and he will see a wholesome good-case may be mindle merrily with the humored crowd enjoying itself wholenative descendants of many old time somely. So long as audiences hiss the villain and applaud the here there is

The greatest yell of joy heard on true down on the Cape.





PILGRIM MONUMENT ..

points and problems

to many locations and places, not alone of the King) because it led to the imperial palace. Time passed and the Londoner had great difficulty in pronouncing this phrase, and "Route du displayed. There, in a view down Main Rol" degenerated into "Rotten Row."

Rotten Row is one of London's show places. It leads to Buckingham Palace from Hyde Park Corner. It is the parade is a most brilliant spectacle. The French influence in nomencla ture in London is evident wherever one goes. Charing Cross, which the modern Londoner calls the "centre of the world," is an English corruption of a one time French name.

When Edward the Confessor was bringing the body of his Queen from route to Westminster Abbey deposited the bier at nightfall when they struck camp. At each resting place a cross was erected.

Throughout England there are not towns, villages and hamlets which bear the name of "cross." One can thus almost trace the course of the cortege. The last resting place they reached before they got to Westminster was "Chere Reino Cross" (Dear sociated with consciousness. Queen Cross), now corrupted to "Charing Cross."

"Birdcage Walk," in St. James's ular belief generally is that in medielighted with the music of the feathered a case of nekrophobia, suggesting that warblers. That is erroneous. "Bird- these minute creatures feared death! cage," meaning grove. And Birdcage water some substance different from the natural reaction of living prowhere lovers have been rambling since toplasm. the Norman conquest.

## CHANGE OF COLOR IN FISHES.

HANGING colors at will is

OTTEN ROW" is an ugly observed changes in a normal manner. havior of animals, not present at all in name, but it is that given In this case the posterior part retained absolutely dark. The light and gradually as the scale of life is assable driveway. The strange part of affecting the fish's eyes was found to cended.

havior of animals, not present at all in the lowest forms, and coming in slowly and coming in slowly and coming in slowly and gradually as the scale of life is assable driveway. The strange part of affecting the fish's eyes was found to cended. ment virtually left the Emperor and able driveway. The strange part of affecting the fish's eyes was found to cended. Empress of Brazil with little or no it is that this homely appellation, mis- be responsible for the color changes, guidance, at any rate after the first placed as it obviously is, was born as these did not occur after cutting of the most salient instances of the to a companion and mutter something

comes off victor. The fact that the presence of its dead companion ongoose invariably survives has led to the suggestion that it is immune to sition and habits animals react only snake poison. Other animals said to be immune are the pig and the hedge-

uralist show that an animal of the dormouse family must be added to the list of the immune. This animal is known as the lerot and is said to fight flercely with vipers. Large doses of viper's poison were injected into one lerot, from which injection no ill effects followed. On one occasion a lerot was badly bitten in the eye by a viper and no signs of poisoning fol-

## EMOTION IN ANIMALS.

CCIENTISTS assure us that the centuries. question of what is meant by of extreme difficulty. Most of us, prob- the site of the ancient Roman castrum for more patience, skill and exactness

so that folk rambling by could be de- imaginative commentator called this nicipal museum. cage Walk" is nothing more than a Later workers showed that a dead corruption of the French word "bo-piece of protoplasm exuded into the water some substance different from Most animals shrink or struggle

ing precisely as we do when we are as it is used on the subway the reader feeling discomfort or pain. In many must be reminded that there are two property of certain mammals, cases, before physical pain or mis-and it is found that in the fishes comfort can actually be felt, the higher derground railroad. The newer type under observation in a biological lab- enimals show the symptoms that in is equipped with end doors that are cratory of one of the universities in our case we associate with fear. But opened and shut by compressed air, this country such change is possible do they feel pain, do they remember but the older type are without the air. when changes of surrounding condi-tions are male. The fish selected for In our own case the capacity to and close the end doors by sheer the experiment were common green killifishes or salt water minnows, which cordinarily is daylight have a light ordinarily in the light ord gray color. This in the dark becomes if these be drugged we are uncon- is a word of contempt used by the exlmost black, as was demonstrated by scious. A frog whose cerebral hem- perienced guard and understood by all placing the fish in a darklined dish. ispheres are destroyed, if placed in subway employees. The average guard them in the boomerang, which by who ought to be shoemakers and call If the fish were placed in a porcelain hot water will make a sudden and vio- required to operate them for a round owl in the light it would become lent effort to escape. We ourselves, un- trip considers himself "out of luck." slight angle got a "lift." much paler, even though the illumina- der a light ansestheela that inhibits At least one would get this imprestion was the same That the color consciousness, will struggle violently sion if he stood on the Dyckman street was at the control of the fish was to avoid pain. It certainly seems more downtown station when an empty train demonstrated by severing the spinal probable that consciousness is some-cord of one that had undergone the thing that may be added to the be- Each guard knows exactly what his

with ideas of most generous and kindly spert in the matter of eliquette than of occur after cuting of the most salient instances of the hospitality. The writer of these notes and Queen of the most beautiful phrases of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the spect in the matter of these notes of the most beautiful phrases of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the spect in the matter of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the spect in the matter of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the changes had guidance, at any rate after the first of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the changes had guidance, at any rate after the first of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the changes had guidance, at any rate after the first of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the changes had guidance, at any rate after the first of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the changes had guidance, at any rate after the first of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the changes had guidance, at any rate after the first of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the changes had guidance, at any rate after the first of the most salient instances of the few days of formal ceremony the changes had guidance.

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> According to their individual dispoto the immediate stimuli that reach magician's art. In this trick the is a sort of cross between and pain would have to be se- Hindu fakir has his assistant get into wing and a propeller. clated in the most direct way with a simple sense impression before the sense impression by itself would arouse in them shrinking or the sign

## THE MOST ANCIENT EGG.

UST before the war began, during excavations in the ancient Mogun-tiacum, under the auspices of the there was found a hen's egg which ently dead the fakir again plunges his Archaeological Society of Mayence, was estimated to have lain buried in the earth for something like nineteen Moguntiacum was built by Drusus.

the son of the Roman Emperor

ably without much reflection, are will- or encampment near the city the exing to infer consciousness when we cavations in question brought to light achievements. From the time the atsee any living things exhibiting be-many interesting relics, including tendant enters the bag both fakir and havior that in ourselves would be as- some water cisterns of Roman make. assistant count every breath they take, It was in one of these, which was When a stated number of breaths have Some years ago an investigator located some twenty feet below the surbeen taken the fakir makes his thrust placed single celled animals in a drop face, that a damaged Roman clay- and the occupant of the bag is preof water under the microscope. They pot was discovered, containing the pared to avoid it. Then the count were swimming actively when the in-vestigator touched the surface with a whole egg that had been kept from the spear is driven through the bag a val days they used to hang bird cages red hot needle. One of the animalculæ being smashed by a shred of the second time with song birds in them from the was killed and soon a clear space damaged pot, which covered it. The In order to avoid the spear and frequently. boughs of trees that mark the walk, was formed around the corpse. An ancient egg was deposited in the mu- make it appear to pass through his

#### SUBWAY BATTLESHIPS. HE subway is the last place that

look for "battleships," but nevertheless they are there, even though they exist only in the parlance of the when they come in contact with con- guards. ditions that are unfavorable, behav- To understand the term "battleship"

cended. erate with air he smiles, but if his The supposed fear of death is one cars are of the old type he will turn

## A DANGEROUS TRICK.

HE feat known as the bag and a sack, the mouth of which he firmly secures, and then unceremoniously hurls his helpless victim to the ground, Without a sign of warning the fakir drives his spear through the centre of

After withdrawing his weapon, upon the point of which no blood stain ap-pears, the fakir stands and gazes dreamily over the heads of the spec- Saturday afternoon used to neglect flounders about as if in mortal agony. At last when the occupant is apparspear into the motionless body. The same antics are repeated. Then the fakir releases his attendant from the in fat, much grease is spilled upon the in fat, much grease is spilled upon the strength. upon his body.

consciousness in animals is one Augustus, in the year 14 B. C. Upon all the carelessness imaginable, it calls the ancient Roman castrum

body the assistant doubles up in as HAIR CUT PHYSIOGNOMICALLY. small a form as possible. His legs are drawn up close, with the chin resting upon the knees and the arms folded round the lower limbs across the shins. When in this position at the fiftleth breath the spear passes under the at- York. tendant's arms between the abdomen culation by either the fakir or his assistant would mean a serious if not a mortal wound for one and perhaps permanent disgrace for the other.

## BOOMERANGS AND AIRPLANES.

LTHOUGH an anomaly to go to that was just what was done in the manner that the trimming will co humans. The fundamental principle meaning your face, Sometimes a man having been discovered by the bush- his appearance-you know there are men of the antipodes and embodied by some men in the barber business her meeting in its flight the air at a not see any further than the hand

face that is more or less flat that travels at a slight angle through the air reason why man should."

ness is used instead of a thin sheet These points the Australians discov

Investigation will show little diffe whittled by a New York boy after he had visited the circus and had witnessed the stunts of the boomerang

throwers. The resemblance of the boomerang's spear trick has been considered cross-section is closer to a propeller one of the greatest of the Hindu, section of an airplane, as a boomerang is a sort of cross between an airplane

## HOUSECLEANING HEDGEHOGS.

T is said that when in camp during the winter the woodsmen Maine entertain many strange guests - blue lave, chickadees, wood mice and hedgehogs among them. One woodsman on leaving camp on a tators. The body within the bag purposely to close the door of his shack in order that the hedgehogs

floor in a week and a hedgehog will

cupants the spiny gluttons would hasten in and begin to plane off the aur face of the floor with their chisellike teeth, eating away all the wood that to camp the owner could sweep up and enjoy the comforts of a clean house for another week. The only serious objection to this method of housecleaning lay in the fact that it was necessary to lay a new camp floor

TAIR out physiognomically" is the impressive sign on the window of a "tonsorial artist" in the downtown section of New

customer who drifted into the shop as a barber started to wait on him Some new fangled idea of the boss's. When appealed to the proprietor of the place swelled with pride and to his weightiest tones explained his brain child in this manner:

"That means that when you got into the primitive savages of Aus- the chair we study your face and then The trajectory of the boomerang defects in the face by the manner of may be in part horizontal or may even hair cutting and enhance the sook